BEFORE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 91-627-W/S - ORDER NO. 92-485/ JUNE 25, 1992

IN RE: Application of Heater of Seabrook, Inc.) ORDER REQUIRING for an Increase in its Water and Sewer) COMPANY TO Rates and Charges.) UPDATE TEST YEAR

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) pursuant to an Application filed on behalf of Heater of Seabrook, Inc. (the Company) seeking an increase in its water and sewer rates and charges in its service area in South Carolina. The Application is supported by certain information obtained from the Company's books and records using a test year period ending September 30, 1991.

It has been the Commission's policy in the past to use the most current financial information in reviewing an application for a rate increase. The Commission is of the opinion that a more current test year would be a better reflection of the Company's operations and the Commission is additionally of the opinion that such information is available from the Company's books and

records. Therefore, the Commission hereby requires the Company to update its test year in this matter to the twelve (12) months ending March 31, 1992. The updated information should be filed with the Commission on or before July 24, 1992.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

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ATTEST:

Executive Director

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